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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
United States Patent and Trademark office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In the above-identified application for United States  
patent, please amend as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Attached is a substitute specification with added material  
being underlined and material being removed shown in brackets.  
Also enclosed is a clean copy of the specification.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1 and 2, and insert new claims 3 and 4, a  
clean copy of which is attached hereto, in their place.

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